

UNOFFICIAL PRACTICE QUESTIONS: *What Was the March on Washington*

IN WHICH BOOK

In which book do two hundred and fifty thousand Americans from all over the U.S. travel to Washington D.C.?

Answer: *What Was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull (page 1)

In which book are certain swimming pools and restaurants off limits to African Americans?

Answer *What Was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull (page 7)

In which book is Birmingham, Alabama, referred to as “Bombingham”?

Answer: *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull (page 21)

In which book do folksingers hold concerts to raise funds for a cause?

Answer: *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull (pages 43-44)

In which book does a New York church pack up eighty thousand cheese sandwiches, apples, and slices of marble cake for strangers?

Answer: *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull (page 47)

In which book does a train arrive at 7:25 am with 800 teenagers on board?

Answer: *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull (page 57)

In which book do people wear buttons that say, “I Was There.”?

Answer: *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull (page 58)

In which book does a musical group sing “Blowin’ in the Wind”?

Answer: *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull (page 61)

In which book is a one-mile walk the most important journey of some people's lives?

Answer: *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull (page 74)

In which book are 1,355 people treated by the Red Cross in one day?

Answer: *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull (page 75)

In which book does someone finish writing a speech in a janitor's closet less than an hour before it's due?

Answer: *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull (page 82)

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In the book *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull

The march was advertised as the March on Washington for which two rights?

Answer: Jobs & freedom (page 4)

In the book *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull
What date did the march take place on?
Answer: August 28, 1963 (page 4)

In the book *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull
What is the name of the person who coordinated the march?
Answer: A. Phillip Randolph OR Phillip Randolph (page 26)

In the book *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull
Which First Lady first publicly supported civil rights?
Answer: Eleanor Roosevelt OR Mrs. Roosevelt (page 27)

In the book *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull
What does the acronym NAACP stand for?
Answer: National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (page 34)

In the book *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull
Which soda company donated large coolers of beverages for the March?
Answer: Coca-Cola OR Coke (page 47)

In the book *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull
What baseball hero came to the march with his family?
Answer: Jackie Robinson (page 66)

In the book *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull
Who sang "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands" at the Lincoln Memorial?
Answer: Marian Anderson (page 78)

In the book *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull
Who was the youngest speaker the day of the march?
Answer: John Lewis (page 80-81)

In the book *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull
Who gave the final speech on the day of the march?
Answer: Martin Luther King Jr. (page 87)

In the book *What was the March on Washington*, by Kathleen Krull
Which president signed the Civil Rights Act in 1964?
Answer: Lyndon Johnson OR President Johnson (page 98)